## RETAIL PROFITEERS CUT PRICES, BUT ARMY FOODS GO LOWER

producers mounted rapidly dur-

ing the early part of the month. The nounced that nearly all the former increase, considered as a whole, amounted to all per cent, the report had responded to the call for help in the organization of fair price committees.

A bill, making punishable by fail and large fines, profiteering and the sales or surplus supplies retail dealers throughout the country are meeting the competition by cuts in prices.

"It will be the policy of the War Department to fix prices on all sur-Department to fix prices on all sur-Conspiracy to aid profiteering or

The will be the policy of the War Department to fix prices on all surplus subsistence commodities which will be lower than the prices at which cimilar commodities of like grade are setting in the retail market" the compartment deciared. "Good results will flow from this plan."

The department is already revising its price list of Aug. 8 because of cuts made in the retail markets and announced in the retail markets and announced that such revisions will be made daily and the new prices sent to some officers and postmasters.

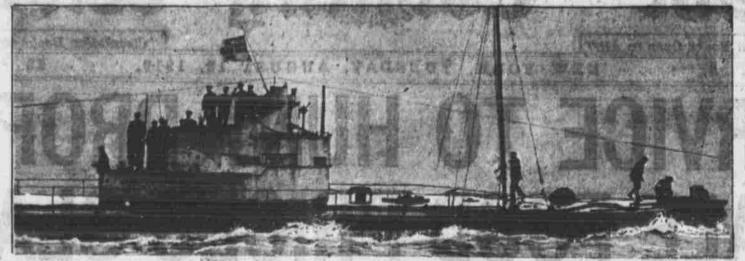
The War Department announced in discriminatory practices, by a fine

The Department of Justice aning the early part of the month. The nounced that nearly all the former

The War Department amounced to-day that it had notified its agents in France to discontinue sales of surplus food there. Everything possible will be kept for this country.

Attorney General Palmer to-day requested Secretary of Agriculture House Agriculture Committee. House Agriculture Committee in the instruct inspectors of packing houses to furnish upon request, all information in their bands to District Attorneys in connection

## Release of Crew of Blockade-Running U-Boat Bremen By British Clears Long Mystery of Vessel's Fate



## BAKER ANNOUNCES REDUCTION IN PRICE OF ARMY FOOD HERE

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Dr. Day, "and the committees in nd and the Bronz are pre-

The War Department to-day gave out a statement showing the quantities of foodstuffs allotted to New York City and to the States of New Jersey, Connecticut and New York outside this city.

To New York are allotted the fol-

ving quantities: Baked Beans, 291,480 No. 1 cans. Baked Beans, 28,184 No. 2 cans Baked Beans, 499,620 No. 2 cans. Stringed Beans, \$4,690 No. 2 cans Corned Beef, 450,000 No. 1 canst Corned Beef, 538,652 No. 2 cans. Corned Beef, 53,760 No. 6 carus. Roast Beef, 222,650 No. 1 cams. Roast Beef, 388,700 No. 2 cans. Roast Beef, 32,900 No. 8 cans. Cherries, 24,600 No. 21-2 cans. Corn, \$94,580 No. 2 cans. Corn Beef Hash, 244,120 No. 1 cans Corn Beef Hash, 238,200 No. 2 cans. Peas, 769,800 No. 2 cans. Beans, Issue, 49,154 pounds. Flour, issue, \$83,577 pounds. Rice, 71,800 pounds, Jam, 153,660 No. 2 cans. Pepper, 27,000 No. 1-4 cans. Totlet Soap, 47,200 cakes. Vegetable Soup 26,800 pints.

Pineapple, 48,936 small cans, Pineapple, 48,936 small cans.

Tomatoes, 35,000 No. 10 cans.

The Government, in making the allocation of the commodition of some of the commodition at each of the forty-two distributing to go around to the first, second and third-class post offices throughout the selling, the men will wrap up the as, and decided to distribute these dities only to the zone cities. This is the allotment of these particular commodities to New York

SMALLER LOTS ADDED TO NEW YORK'S SHARE.

Roust beef, 110,875 No. 1 cans. Cloves, 20,087 No. 14 cans. Brenkfast cocon, 26,379 cans. White corn meal, 24,658 pounds sparagus, 58,872 cans. beans, 5.635 No. 10 can Corned beef, 22,112 No. 2 cans. Cinnamon, 160,138 No. 14 cans. Yellow corn meal, 20,800 pounds. Lamon flavoring extract, 35,363 &

Vanilla flavoring extract, 5,464 B Vanilla flavoring extract, 16,249 2-

cunce bottles. Syrup, 38,147 10-pound cans. Farina, 7,786 No. 1 cans. Farina, 50,827 No. 1 cartons. Barley flour, 11,046 pounds. Oatmeal flour, 6.658 pounds. Hye flour, 21,896 pounds. Whole wheat flour, 1,993 pounds. Gelatine, 9,413 packages. Ginger, 320 No. 14 cans. Coarse hominy, \$3,694 pounds. Fine hominy, 97,688 packages.

Macaroni, 189,048 pounds, Condensed milk, 8,445 No. 1 cans. Ground mustard, 29.067 cans. Ground nutmag, 41,934 No. 14 cans. Bulk oatmeal, 63,588 pounds.

Oatmeal, 10,543 No. 2 cans. Oatmenl, 70,412 No. 2 cartels. Peas, 2,062 No. 10 cans. Cucumber pickles, 2.819 gallons, Sweet potatoes, 25,707 No. 2 cans. Sweet potatoes, 12,445 No. 2% cans Sweet potatoes, 18,045 No. 3 cans. Pumpkin, 44,886 No. 2 cans. Pumpkin, 48,233 No. 3 cans. Pumpkin, 247 No. 10 cans.

Assorte: soup, 120,222 pints. Chicken soup, 38,249 pints, Clam chowder soup, 92,187 pints. Mock turtle soup, 18,034 pints. Oxtail soup, 12,709 pints. Tomato soup, 103,517 pints. Squash, 14,240 small cans. Squash, 1,138 No. 10 cans. Cut leaf sugar, 45,000 pounds. Tapioca, 8,558 No. 1 cartons. Black tea, 80,236 pounds.

Colong tea, 21,773 pounds.

Japan tea, 27,723 pounds.

Lemon extract, 20,096 8-ounce Borough President Bruckner of the Bronx said that he had 700 workers food. About 500 of them are women.

Gun powder green tea, 30,653 pounds

Green Y. H. tea, 4,564 pounds

tributing station will take care of the money.

"My Secretary, Thomas Dolan, has been watching the way the thing was done in Newark. In some ways our methods may be an improvement on the Newark system. All we are waiting for now is the food."

There was a public meeting at the borough hall last night attended by more than 2,000 and addressed by the Borough President, who outlined the campaign against the high cost of

SALERS IS CHARGED.

facts tending to show a systematic day by the Senate Agriculture Comand false propaganda on the part of mittee, wholesale food dealers.

were thus/trying to prevent the Gov- frauded and the consumers receive ernment from "breaking the market" no benefits."

was aredited to the New York Department of Markets. Commissioner Day, head of that department, suid that he had not issued such a report himself, but had made public such a report after it had been given to him in apparent good faith by

Retail grocers, it is said, have told their customers recently that the lovernment was in part responsible tion, which is a sheer absurdity. But been plugging headquarters with telethat the Government in war time cornered the market on such staples, due responsibility in world affairs paying high prices, and that the and plunging the United States into Parker from Buffalo. the wholesalers at prices which make face of the globe. the retail prices what they are.

pound for dried prunes told an Eve- startling relief one great fact. Whatning World reporter that the whole-of peace; it is an alliance, dominated at the present moment by five great

authorities had their plans well under way to-day for turbing profiteers and hoarders.

District Attorney Stant | 145 | 155 | dered a full investigation of the immense quantities of food held in storage in and about New York for the purpose of keeping up prices, and will co-operate with the Federal prosecufore the Grand Jury. That indicating a violation of Federal law will be turned ever to the Federal attorney. The information given the District Attorney is that 10,000,000,000 pounds ready and organized to handle the either to be shipped abroad for higher prices or to be secreted until higher

## **DEMANDS U. S. CHANGE** ITS WHEAT STANDARDS

Senate Agriculture Committee Backs Protest of the Farm Organizations,

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.-Demands that changes be made in Government wheat standards under the Price FALSE PROPAGANDA BY WHOLE. Guarantee Act, "so as not to penalize Guarantee Act, "so as not to penalize \_\_\_The Jugo-Slav Government has pro-every grower of wheat," were made hibited the publication of all Communist in a statement prepared by Chair-The attention of the District At- man Gronna and representatives of torney's office was called to-day to farm organizations and approved to-

Gronna announced that a commit-To refute one phase of this propa- tee would be named to present the ganda the War Department found it demands to Julius H. Barnes, Presinecessary to deny a report that big dent of the United States Grain Cor-Chicago packers had been permitted poration and representatives of the to repurchase millions of dollars Department of Agriculture in the worth of foods which they origi- hope of having modified various nally had sold to the Government. Government regulations by which it The implication was that the packers was charged "the producers are de-

### **DIVIDE \$4,392,782 ESTATE.** Trustees Ask Action on

Bishop Holdings.

Burrogate John P. Cohalan was asked to-day to make judicial settlement of the estate of the late Heber R. Bishop who died intestate in December, 1902, leaving an estate worth at this time \$4.32.782. Application for the order was made on behalf of Francis C. Bishop and Mosee Taylor, both of Mt. Kisco, trustees of the estate. Their commissions of the estate. Their commissions of the estate. Their commissions are put at \$20,773. Income smouthing to the property of the reserver of the receiver for the state. Several the second of the estate. Their commissions of the estate. Their commissions of the estate. Several the several the several to the several three several the several the several the several three Moses Taylor, both of Mt. Kisco, trustees of the estate. Their commissions are put at \$40.775. Income amounting to \$1900,330 was received for the heirs, according to their accounting.

The heirs are Herbert R. Bishop, Ogden M. Bishop, Mary C. Bishop, Mrs. (161: Bot. Hemster, 113: Mary heile, 110: Bishop, Mary C. Bishop, Mrs. (200: Sixvex 113: Mary heile, 110: Bishop, Mrs. (200: Sixvex, 110: Charles Bish

## **WORLD'S LEAGUE** AS MAKER OF WAR

(Continued From First Page.)

taking a suitable part and bearing a Government is now selling back to every controversy and conflict on the

A grocor who charges 40 cents a this league covenant brings out in made to avoid a strike. sale price of prunes was 35 cents. He said the Government had bought up practically all the prunes at the last crop and was now selling them back to the wholesalers at a price compelling the wholesalers to charge 28 cents.

The Federal, State and municipal the process of the said the present moment by five great powers, really by three, and it has a station to the marks of an alliance. The activities of the form of the process of the said powers, really by three, and it has a station of the process of the said powers, really by three, and it has a considered. The court which is to decide disputes brought before it fills but a small place. Those articles upon which the whole structure reats are articles which provide for the use of force; that is, for war. This is again to enforce peace does a great league to enforce peace does a great deal for enforcement and very little

These of Second Division Parade

up Penusylvania Avenue. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.-The mator. Evidence showing a violation of rines of the Second division, including State laws Mr. Swann will put be- many veterans of the second Marne and Chateau-Thierry, paraded up Pennsylvania avenue today, President House. There were two regiments in

> At the request of Senator Lodge, the ntioned the marines in his prayer at the opening of today's seas

optimistic to-day over prospects of an early return of the workmen. From many other parts of the country reports came that thousands of men had already gone back to work ( would returned to-day.

BOME, Monday, Aug. 11 .- Appointnounced to-day include those of Monsignor Emanuele Alvarada of the Archdiocese of Gundalajara, Mexico, and Monsignor Michele de Andrea, of Buenosardres, to be Apostolle Proto-

Sinvia.

VIENNA, Aug. 13 (Associated Press.)

#### SARATOGA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—For three years olds and up; claiming purse \$1,436,70; Hallymony, 107; Calihan 15 to 1, 4 to 1, 3 to 1; Arrah Go On, 129; Fator, 11 to 20, 2 to 5, 1 to 4; Sam Reh, 109; Boyle, 10 to 4, 4 to 1, 8 to 5; time, 1,13 2-5, Adele Dragoon, Resist, Elected 2d, Sedan, Miss Kruter, Nelle York also ran.

#### SARATOGA ENTRIES.

was charged "the producers are defrauded and the consumers receive no benefits."

Hundreds of millions of bushels of wheat have been shriveled by heat this season, it was stated, and under present grading rules cannot sell for more than \$1.50 a bushel. Millers, however, plan to gather up this grain and make it into high grade flour to sell at prices based on No. 1 wheat, the statement said.

DIVIDE \$4,392,782 ESTATE. Harmidal, 117.

SystileTH RACE—The Sanford Memorial; for these-year-olds; six furiouss.—Man o' War, 150 Golden Broom, 150; Unext, 155; The Swimmer, 115; Peace Pennant, 115; Donna Caro, 112.

Armietice, 112; Ten Can, 102.

## 8-CENT CAR FARE SURE, SAYS NIXON, BERLIN, Aug. 12 (Associated Press).

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for the high cost of certain staples, there is a wide difference between grams asking the home office to "rush" them, Organizer Jones got in ast night from Detroit and Organizes

It was made clear by the unfor leaders at 2 o'clock, after a con-"Any analysis of the provisions of ference, that every effort would be

It was admitted by union men that iemands for more wages and better working conditions would be submit

their condition without a strike. Color was jent to the statements that a strike would be avoided by the announced intention of Vice President O'Brien to leave for Louisville, Ky., this afternoon.

NIXON HAS NAMES OF B. AMALGAMATED MEMBERS. Public Service Commissioner Nixon has the names of 7,900 B. R. T. employees who are members of the Amalgamated Association of Railway in New Lone 4, the German war Employees. With this list he will re- submarine U-53 appeared off the quest Receiver Garrison of the B. R. American coast, ravaging shipping, T. to carry out his part of the strike and it was reported her presence here settlement agreement which calls for was due to an effort to protect the a conference with the union leaders.

At the same time Commissione leaders and arrange for the arbitra- Hempstead to Mineola and across the tion between the railway officials and of food are stored in this country. Senate took a recess for two hours in workers. Before the conferences the either to be shipped abroad for higher honor of the marines. Chaplain Pretty-Commissioner expressed confidence

against food hoarders and price men in the Chicago district have re-boosters. The announcement says turned to work, railroad officials were happen there will be no walk-out in that the League "urges a vigorous at- optimistic to-day over prospects of an Manhattan and the Bronx until demands have been served on the companies and the public has been given ample warning.

Receiver Job E, Hedges said to-day, referring to Mayor Hylan's intimation to District Attorney Swann that ments made by Pope Benedict and an- street railway and union managers appear to be in a conspiracy to force a strike and higher fare:

"It would be unprofessional and indecorous for me, as a lawyer, to comment on a matter in the hands Communist Papers Barred in Jugo- of the District Attorney, but I can say this, ethically: I am glad to see that Mayor Hylan has called upon a public official to perform his duty. newspapers in Jugo-Slavia, a despatch That is precisely what I did when I from Agram says. wrote to the Mayor asking him to

get an 8-cent fare for the traction companies. The Mayor points out what he regards as evidence of a "common purpose" on the part of the receiver for the New York Railways Company, the Interborough officials and the employees of the companies District Attorney Swann was not at his office to-day, and it was said when he left last night he carried with mm Mayor Hylan's letter. It is

make a definite statement to-morrow regarding his intentions on the Governor Serves Notice on Nassa Mayor's request. STRIKE NOW THREATENED ON NASSAU CO. LINES

Trolley Men There Demand Same Scale as Company Pays in Queens.

Unless officials of the New York and Long Island Traction Company agree to pay the men on the Nassau the Bridge Street, Brooklyn. They sawed from bars to gain entrance, carried the safe to the back of the store and cents an hour, which men on the other divisions receive, there may be a walk-out to morrow. walk-out to-morrow.

sured to-day of an increase they will ommended in a unanimous report to-day not take out cars to-morrow. The by the Senate Judiciary Sub-Committee

Men Kept Incomunicado for Three Years to Maintain War Secret.

The Vossische Zeitung says that the entire crew of the German submarine Bremen, which disappeared three years ago, has arrived at Bremen. Great Britain kept the men prisoners and completely shut them off from the world in order to keep the whereabouts of the vessel a secret.

The above Berlin despatch is the first knowledge the world has had of the fate of the famous submarine ship Bremen, whose whereabouts has been one of the greatest mysteries of the war.

Deutschland, the submarine cargo carrier which made trips to Baltimore and New London during the Bremen for New London, Conn., in Labor party and the vote was 251 August, 1916. Since that day there to 8. has been no inkling of her fate, though rumors for three, years have

kept the world interested. . For reasons of naval policy, the British Government officially denied the Bremen had either been captured or sunk.

At the time the Bremen was du-

Nixon will confer with the union division includes the line from county to Port Washington.

## STRIKE ON NEW HAVEN

Leaders of the Amalgamated de- Officials Await Action by Hines and Many Trains Remain Tied Up.

The shopmen and car inspectors of the work to-day, in spite of the repeated orders of the national leaders for them to call off their strike. Thus far there have been no direct negotiations between officials of the road and the strikers looking toward a settlement of dif-

No additional trains were annulied to-day. Officials declared that it would take from now until Thursday or Fri-day to count the strike vote, and that until the count was verified it was not possible to predict the attitude of the men toward returning to work as Presi-dent Wilson had requested.

Officials Expects New England Strike to End Soon.

BOSTON, Aug. 12.-Confidence that the end of the mechanics' strike and protect the mayor asking him to protect the men and property of the he consequent resumption of normal her York Railways Co. in the event of a strike."

The Mayor asked Mr. Swann to investigate what appears to the Mayor to be indications of a conspiracy to bring about a strike to get an 8-cent fare for the traction.

> Engineers and Firemen Prepare to Make Wage Demands. CLEVELAND, Aug. 11.-Wage in

cases will be demanded of the railroad administration by the Brotherhood e Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, according to Timothy Shea and other delegates, attending a meeting here to-day. Three hundred delegates, representing every railroad in the United States and Canada, were present.

believed the District Attorney will CHARGES AGAINST SEAMAN. County Sheriff.

> ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Gov. Smith to-day served on Phineas A. Seaman, Sheriff of Nassau County, charges which had been filed with him. asking the removal of Seaman.
> Seaman has ten days in which to
> file his answer, when the Governor will
> appoint a commissioner to make an investigation. Seaman was charged with
> malfeasance in office.

Robbers Get \$127 From Grocery. Burglars got \$127 Sunday night from Thomas Rouiston, a grocery store at No.

Employees of the Nassau division now get get 41 cents an hour, and have served notice on the officials tion of the nomination of A. Mitchell in Long Island City that unless as-Favors Palmer's Confirmation. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12 .- Confirma-

## WALES IN ST. JOHN'S; GETS HEARTY WELCOME

Young Prince Arrives on Cruiser After Transfer From the Renown.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F. Aug. 12.-The cruiser Dragon, bearing the Prince of Wales, entered the inner harbor at 11 o'clock to-day. He landed on the Government pier at noon. The Prince was accorded an enthusiastic wel-

The Dragon, to which the Prince transferred from the cruiser Renown, which brought him from England, was escorted here by the cruiser Daunt-

At the landing the Prince received an address of welcome from the Mayor and City Council and midway of the drive not any of the drafts submitted by another was presented by the Chamber of Commerce, while the Government's welcome was delivered at the Parliament Building where the ride ended, Later the Frince proceeded to the Gov-erament House where he is to be the guest of the Governor. Sir Alexander Harris.

caption.

In the afternoon the Prince presented in medals to seamen who participated in the rescue of surrivors of the steamer Florizel which went ashore near Cape Race in February, 1918.

### HOUSE OF COMMONS ACTS TO PUNISH PROFITEERS

Geddes Tells of Shoemaker Who Was Ashamed of His Prices.

LONDON, Aug. 13 (By Associated Press) .- The House of Commons, after hearing Sir Auckland Gedden, Minister for National Service and dent." Reconstruction, declared that profiteering in foodstuffs was responsible for social unrest and discontent, and passed on second reading the Government bill providing for prosecution and penalties for persons war, bringing to American markets guilty of profiteering. The bill was huge supplies of dyestuffs, left supported on second reading by the

> Sir Auckland, who is in charge of the bill for the Government, said the measure would have a bad effect upon profiteering. The minister said that a manufacturer in northern England had told him he was "ashamed" of the profits he was ment, shortly after the United States making. He added that shoes which effered the war." sold at wholesale at from 15 to 25 shillings retailed at from 50 to 60 shillings. The bill is now in the hands of a committee of the whole house preparatory to bringing it up

## FOOD COST CAUSES MOTHER OF FIVE TO END HER LIFE

"I Can Hardly Keep My Children Alive," She Mourns Before Taking Poison.

Worry over the effect of the high ost of food on the health of her five children, it is believed, prompted Mrs. Wohlfordy of No. 1588 Hobson Street, Newark, N. J., to end her New Haven Railroad falled to report for life yesterday with poison. Her husband, a painter, found her dying in her rooms. She was removed to the City

Hospital. Neighbors told the police that the woman had complained that "I can hardly keep my children alive. I don't know what people are going to do if things keep going up.

Wohlfardy said that the children had been ill recently, and his wife had been worrying about them

### PERSHING GOING TO ITALY.

Will Visit Battlefields-Starts Hom First Week in September. PARIS, Aug. 12.-Gen. Pershing, after is visit to Belgium as the guest of King Albert, will visit the Italian battle-

field. Present plans call for his de

parture for Rome next Saturday. While in Italy, Gen. Pershing will present American Distinguished Service Medals to those Italian officers to whom these honors have been awarded. Gen. Pershing will leave for the United States the first week in September.

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# WITH WILSON ON DRAFT OF LEAGUE

Legal Adviser Contradicts Statement of President That Smuts's Plan Was Used.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.-The plan for a League of Nations used as a basis of discussion at Vermilles was France or Italy, but was a combination of all of them, the Senate Foreign Relations Committee - was told to-day by David Hunter Miller, legal adviser to the League of Nations Commission at Versailles.

Chairman Lodge said President Wilson had told the committee at the White House in March that the British plan drawn by Gen. Smuts was used as a basis of consideration, but the witness protested that such was not his recollection. The plan taken as a basis of discussion, said he, "was modelled to some extent on the other plans, but it was not the Smuta plan,"

The witness said he had submitted emoranda on the American Plan but did not see the finished product until it was printed in the form transmitted to the Committee yesterday by President Wilson. .

"Where did the Plan come from?" asked Senator Ledge. "I suppose it came from the Presi

"What became of it?" "I think it was submitted to the Commission on the League of Nations. I didn't personally have anything to do with ft." Questioned by Senator Brandegee.

said he was a law partner of Gordon Auchincloss, son-in-law of Col. E. M. House, one of the American delegates to the Peace Conference. "Did you have any experience in thternational affairs, in drafting treat-

Republican, Connecticut, Mr. Miller

ies?" asked Senator Brandegeee. "Not prior to my appointment as a special assistant in the State Depart-

Mr. Miller said he never had heard of any plan for a league drafted by New York lawyers and taken to Paris by the President.

Senator Brandegee asked "as of what date" the "territorial integrity" mentioned under Article Ten of the covenant was to be guaranteed. "I understand the boundaries and

territorial integrity of nations are to be guaranteed primarily as they existed at the signing of the treaty and secondarily is they may be determined under the treaty by plebeacite, for instance."

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